FARM NEWS

By J. A. Smith, County Agent

Wheat Seeding Suggestions Given. Recommended wheat seeding dates are October 1 to November 1 in Appomattox County.

Seeding early in the recommended period will usually result in stronger plants that will better withstand the winter. Wheat should not be seeded until after the first killing frost because of the hessian fly.

Seed one of the recommended varieties of wheat at the rate of 1 to 1½ bushels per acre. Seed treatment, using chemical disinfectants will help control certain diseases.

Fertilize with 400 to 600 pounds per acre of 4-16-8, 4-12-8, or 5-10-10 at time of seeding. If wheat follows tobacco or corn that received 1,000 pounds or more of fertilizer per acre, the application for wheat may be cut to 200 to 300 pounds per acre at seeding.

Top-dress with 16 to 40 pounds of nitrogen per acre between February 1 and March 15 if lodging is not to be expected. On light sandy soils, top-dress with 30 to 40 pounds of nitrogen. Where a legume is grown in the rotation or manure is used, it may be necessary to eliminate all nitrogen to reduce lodging. Use enough lime so that the soil will test 6.0 to 6.5 pH.

Recommended varieties of wheat in Appomattox are Vahart, Seneca, Thorne, Leaps Prolific, Nudel, Atlas 50, Atlas 66 and Anderson.

Clean Spraying, Dusting Equipment Before Storage

There're still some odd jobs left for the home gardener, say specialists at VPI.

For instance, they say to wash out all sprayers carefully to remove spray residues. A weak vinegar solution will help. After the sprayers have been thoroughly washed out, coat the tank and other metal parts with a thin covering of oil, and hang in a dry location.

Don't wash a duster, but carefully brush out the dust with a stiff brush. Some of the outside metal parts might be oiled, but be careful not to get oil inside the duster as it will tend to cake the dust that will be used next season. After the duster is thoroughly cleaned, hang it in a dry place for storage.

Most left-over chemicals can be used next year if they are stored in a dry place in air-tight containers. Label the chemicals carefully, so you won't make any mistakes in using them next year. A good way to store chemicals is to put them in a glass fruit jar which can be sealed tightly to prevent the absorption of moisture or undue evaporation. Store them away from children and animals.

Poultry Research Points Way To Profits

Research is pointing the way to profits in many phases of the poultry business, says R. H. Burtner, associate poultry husbandman at VPI.

For instance, a Purdue University study showed that oil-spraying of eggs did about as much to maintain quality as did temperature differences. Treated eggs held at room temperatures ranging from 68 to 82° for two weeks kept their quality about as well as untreated eggs stored at 55°. The oil-spraying was worth about 20° reduction in temperature for maintaining quality or prolonging shelf life of the eggs. Oiling cost only a fraction of a cent a dozen.

A test at the University of Idaho showed that keeping laying house temperature at about 55° from November through March, compared to a fluctuating temperature of 40 to 60°, resulted in about 10% improvement in feed efficiency (pounds of feed per dozen eggs) in chickens on both high and low energy diets.

NEWS FROM HOLLYWOOD

Remember little Claude Jarman, who was so good in "The Yearling?" Well, in the intervening years, Claude joined the Navy. Recently, he went to Metro for lunch and they grabbed him for a job. So, Jarman arranged a Navy leave to play in a TV series.

M.-G.-M. has signed Ingred Bergman to star in the Sol Siegel production, "I Thank A Fool," an exciting story of romance and suspense. It will be filmed in England and Ireland next summer.

Barbara Bel Geddes, who for six years has been concentrating on a stage career, is back in Hollywood, where she has signed for a starring role with James Stewart and Kim Novak in "From Among the Dead," an Alfred Hitchcock production, soon to start filming at Paramount.

Each year insects, disease, fire, and other destructive agents kill an amount of sawtimber equal to one-fourth the annual growth, says the U. S. Department of Agriculture.

Pamplin

Pamplin, Oct. 8.- Among the visitors at the Methodist Church Sunday were Mrs. Ella Gilliam, of Farmville; Mr. and Mrs. J. D. McDearmon, and Dr. and Mrs. H. Y. Spencer and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Terry and children, of Appomattox; Mr. and Mrs. Austen Goode and children, of Dillwyn; Mrs. Northy Mr. and Mrs. Jim Davis, of Lynchburg; Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Robinson and children, of Charlotte C. H. and Lewis Baldwin.

Mr. and Mrs. George E. Dalton, son-in-law and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Slayton, sailed on the Excalibur from New York on Oct. 4th. They will be connected with the American Embassy at Baghdad, Iraq for two years.

Mr. Frank Irving, of Bedford, visited friends here last week.

Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Brightwell and daughter, Billy Star were week-end visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jack Brightwell, of Christiansburg.

Visitors in the home of Mr. and Mrs. L. L. Dickerson last week-end were Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Hungate and H. G. Jr., of Roanoke, and Braxton Dickerson, of Portsmouth.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Slayton and Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Dalton attended the wedding of Miss Peggy Slayton and Mr. Walter Cartwright, at the Presbyterian Church of Douglas, September 28.

Mrs. Ruth Eaton visited her sister, Mrs. Waverly Franklin, of Lynchburg last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Tibbs and children spent Sunday with relatives at Richmond.

Mrs. Edward Wilson, of Richmond spent the week-end in the home of her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Cunningham.

Mrs. N. L. McClenny, and Mr. and Mrs. E. N. Harvey and son, Wilson were week-end vistors in the home of Mrs. F. C. Miller, of Locust Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. Walter Anderson, of Appomattox were week-end visitors in the home of Mrs. Ruth Eaton.

ABOUT YOUR HOME

By Frances Dell

The outdoor living-room is becoming more important than ever before. Homes built on small, city lots often feature this area as an important selling point.

The size of the outdoor room depends on the demands of the family. For best results it is walled in on the exposed sides for privacy.

The city gardener usually confines his main efforts on this area.

Flowering plants can be grown in large pots and moved into the outdoor living room to furnish warmth and color. The background planting should be evergreen.

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NINETEEN CHILDREN

Huntington, W. Va. - M man D. Bird recently b mother of her nineteen girl. Eighteen of the chi alive.

Evergreen

Evergreen, Oct. 8.- A number from here attended homecoming at Elon Baptist Church at Pamplin on Sunday.

Mrs. Bessie Franklin, of Lynchburg is visiting her son and family, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Franklin.

Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Bruce and family spent the week-end with his mother, Mrs. Eva Snowden, at Port Royal, Va.

Mrs. Mary Sulivan, of Lynchburg spent the week-end with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Glover.

Mr. and Mrs. Archer LeGrande, Jr. and family, of Baltimore spent last week-end with Mr. A. A. LeGrande and family.

A number from here attended homecoming at the Red Oak Baptist Church Sunday.

Rev. Donald Clark was a dinner guest Sunday in the home of Mr. and Mrs. Henry C. Staples and Mr. and Mrs. Gordon Staples.

Rudolph Marshall, of N. C. spent the week-end with his mother.

Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Grishaw and family visited Mrs. Lula Watts in Lynchburg Sunday P. M.

Mrs. Rachel McFadden and family visited Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Bryant Sunday P. M.

Rev. Ronald Clark and Mr. H. C. Staples visited Mr. T. T. Evans Sunday P. M.

Glad to see little Patsy Seay out at Sunday School after being in for a while.

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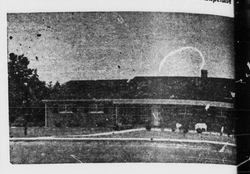

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Oct. 8.- Rev. and Mrs. had as their guest over his father, Mr. Rock, ...

hear that Mrs. J. H. returned home from the ...r daughter, Mrs. Marie staying with her. We ...r a speedy recovery.

all sorry to know that ...Jennings is on the sick ...Her son, Dr. Thomas of Bedford, is attending ...se he will soon be resl ...and back at her school. ...Carson is substituting ...school.

...Smith called to see ...members near here last ...and he was the supper ...and Mrs. E. L. Chick

...Mrs. Bert Wilson and ...of Covington visited Mr. ...Carson last week.

...Wallace Bondurant, Pvt. ...stationed, Madelyn and El...Bondurant, Mrs. Tom Davidson ...Bedford and Mr. and Mrs. ...visited Mr. and Mrs. ...over the week-end.

...delighted to have Mrs. ...back at church on ...her being absent several ...illness, in the hospital

...Mrs. John Alvis and chil...the week-end with her ...Mr. and Mrs. Hunter C. Mat...at Lynchburg, Va.

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First grade, Mrs. Edith Gregory: Tommy Bass, Cecil Carter, Phillip Carter, Billy Elliott, Ran Evans, Thomas Franklin, Danny Hamilton, Mike Harris, Barry Marcus, Johnny Redding, Jimmy Woolridge, Sandra Caldwell, Wanda Doss, Norma Jean Ferguson, Janice Jamerson, Brenda Massie, Patricia Maxwell, Lou Moore, Betty Reid, Michelle Stanley, Betty Trent, Anne Woolridge.

Second grade, Miss Myrtle Smith: James Falcher, Rex Gallier, Ronald Harris, James Johnson, John Maddox, Daniel Marcus, Monte Mays, John Painter, Michael Seay, Roger Slagle, Larry Smith, Joe Watson, Valeria Brannon, Dianne Doss, Pamela Ferguson, Suzanne Guill, Sarah Lane, Laverne Lawhorne, Alice Mays, Dianne Smith, Carolyn Steppe, Mary Thomas.

Second grade, Mrs. Lou C. Rogers: John Ayers, James Beamer, Benny Cole, Richard Gallier, Michael George, Wilson Gilliam Jr., Clyde Harvey, Larry Johnson, John Richardson, Alfred Wallace, Tommy Wilhoit, Donald Williams, Shirley Cheatham, Martha Cordell, Delores Ferguson, Joyce Ann Goin, Judy Goodrich, Linda Grinels, Hamner Harwood, Gloria Mayberry, Brenda Pugh, Delania Shupe, Louise Wheeler, Rebecca Wright.

Third grade, Miss Della Inge: Roy Byers, John Thomas Campbell, Ray Evans, Dennis Flynn, Larry Guill, Stephen Marshall, Calvin O'Brien, William Shouse, Clarence Smith, James Smith, Ernest Hash, Nancy Baldwin, Brenda Carter, Gail Conner, Reita Cordell, Nadine Grishaw, Judith Haley, Robbie Jean Harvey, Benta Mays, Doris Thomas.

Third grade, Mrs. Mildred T. Burkey: Kenneth Coleman, Russell Evans, Dale Ferguson, Alvin Franklin, Claude Gallier, Robert Holt, Ray Johnson, William Mayberry, Donald Ray, Robert McKinney, Cecil Nash, Walton Pankey, Robert Trent, Michael Wallace, John B. Woods, Joyce Carter, Delores Wooten, Rose Evans, Elaine Ferguson, Alice Jean Ferguson, Betty Jane Inge, Phyllis Moore, Peggy Morris, Carolyn Nash, Eugenia Pugh.

Third and fourth grades, Mrs. Sallye Martin: David Hamilton, John Lewis, Evan Thompson, David Torrence, Faye Conner, Julia Anne Guill, Mary Lou Martin, Carolyn Maxwell, Judy Ann McKinney, Margaret Moore, Janet Moses, Yvonne Nash, Jane Richardson, Charles Blackwell, Freddie Godsey, Billy Guthrie, Jerry Justice, Linda Chandler, Kathleen Flynn, Linda Rodgers, June Wright.

Fourth grade, Miss Nola Burkey: Tommy Burley, Sammy Carter, Jimmy Cyrus, Barry Drew, Dandall Ferguson, Carroll Goodrich, Ernest Harris, Danny Herncall, Earl Martin, Warern Mays, Thomas Patterson, Dwight Paulette, Charles Wilbun, Yvonne Boyce, Nancy Cheatham, Nancy Cole, Helen Garrett, Lynda Hall, Susan Ruth Jennings, Charlotte Lawson, Betty Maddox, Marie Maddox, Glenda Richardson, Brenda Robertson.

359 Pupils Have Perfect Attendance for Sept.

Fourth grade, Mrs. Thelma W. Martin: Norman Booth, Lawrence Byers, Johnny Johnson, Iris Mays, Pat Mayberry, Delly O'Brien, Clyde Powell, Donald Pugh, Charles Wallace, Kenneth Wilkins, Corinne Abbitt, Betty Anderson, Cassie Campbell, Carolyn Carter, Margaret Fitzgerald, Kayrsha Ford, Carolyn Gaines, Sandra Harvey, Martin Inge, Elaine Notestein, Jane Patterson, Barbara Ann Reed.

Fifth grade, Mrs. Harriette Cunningham: Neil Conner, Louise Fields, James Gurney, Grey Hesson, Michael Johnson, Ray Lewis, Joe Mayberry, Eugene Phelps, James Sanders, Ashby Wright, Susan Burke, Katherine Caldwell, Dale Doss, Patricia Ferguson, Hazel Fitzgerald, Bonnie Gilbert, Mary Grey Holland, Margie Johnson, Lois Mays, Patricia Pankey, Anita Richardson, Cynthia Richardson, Linda Shouse, Judy Smith, Katurah Smith, Vickie Smith, Jeanette Williams, Lois Woods.

Fifth garde, Mrs. Isabell Ligon: Kenneth Baldwin, Kenneth Ferguson, Haven Fields, Clem O'Brien, Claude Richardson, Wilfred Rogers, George Scruggs, Freddy Thomas, Nancy Boney, Jean Cole, Carolyn Cordell, Joan Ferguson, Donna Guill, Carolyn Hall, Linda Jarrell, Mary Elizabeth King, Alice Moore, Susan O'Brien, Mamie Painter, Rachel Powell, Lina Trent, Kirkie Watson, Mary Yancey Spencer.

Sixth grade, Mrs. Ethel A. Evans: Claude Byers, Freddie Carter, Billy Ferguson, Wayne Ferguson, Joe LeGrande, Wendell Maddox, Herbert Martin, Doug Mitchell, Mike Mitchell, Elmer Phelps, David Reid, Jimmy Torrence, Kathy Bragg, Priscilla Cole, Carolyn Coleman, Joan Crowder, Gloria Doss, Alice Evans, Anne Godsey, Doris McIntosh, Linda Phelps, Jane Stanley, Kathryn Taylor.

Sixth grade, Mrs. Ola S. Furbush: Jimmy Burke, William Bryant, Harold Carter, Earl Day, Tom Evans, John Goin, John Gillette, Ronald Millner, Charlie Martin, Herbert Pulliam, Cecil Phelps, Lewis Sharpe, Richard Smith, Joe Terry, David Wright, Linda Carter, Myrtle Christian, Joyce Edmonds, Mildred Fields, Barbara Gaines, Sue Giles, Nellie Harris, Joyce Justice, Carolyn Keys, Vickie Mayberry, Paula Thompson.

Seventh grade, Mr. Chappell: Aubrey Evans, William Garrett, Donald Giles, Randiph Smith, Doris Bass, Doris Campbell, Ruby Chandler, Mary Ann Franklin, Sue Gilbert, Juanita Maddox, Ann Martin, Phyllis Mayberry, Linda Nash, Jean Page, Jacquelyn Sarver, Inez Woody, Mary Woody.

Seventh grade, Mrs. Jean A. Hesson: Bill Burke, Blaine Carter, Steve Godsey, Wayne Mann, Danny Moon, Eric Wilkins, Carson Crawley, Hazel Fields, Mary Lou Jamerson, Margaret Johnson, Helen Mann, Alice Martin, Maty Lee Mayberry, Joan Moses, Brenda Nash, Barbara Thomas, Betty Watson, Virginia Williams, Suzanne Gills, Florence Watson.

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